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| Filing Date            | 05-25-2001        |
| First Named Inventor   | Bhullar           |
| Art Unit               | 1743              |
| Examiner Name          | Siefke, Samuel P. |
| Attorney Docket Number | RDID 0090 US      |

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